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Ready-to-Wear Apparel for Present and Early Fall Wear

Clean, fresh stock each season is our method of doing business, and the prices we quote below will clean our stocks quickly. First choice is best.

One Rack Dresses to Close at \$2.98

Made of voile, chambray, linene, silver blooms, poplins, etc., originally priced up to \$6.98. These are a rare bargain.

Ladies' Dresses at 25% Discount

This includes our entire stock of white and also colored dresses of voile, linen, chambray, silverblooms, etc., in this season's best models.

White Skirts at 25% Discount

All this season's best numbers in materials like gabardines, corduroys, poplins, linene, etc., also sport models.

White Serge Skirts at \$3.98

With fine hairline stripes. These are attractive garments and very special at this price.

Coats and Suits at \$5.00

(Original values up to \$20.00.) Just a few of these garments left, and we have placed them on one rack for immediate disposal. If yours is here it's a wonderful bargain.

The Homer Fitts Company

MONTPELIER

New State Building Will Require Many More Months' Work.

C. W. Clark, representing the firm of Densmore & Leclear, architects, who drew the plans for the new state building, left last evening for his home in Boston after passing a few days in the city. It will be impossible to finish the room in the new building to be used as the supreme court chamber in time for the October or November terms of court, but it is hoped that the top floor will be completed within two or three months so that the educational department may occupy their new quarters. In that event work will be started to prepare the rooms in the State House now occupied by the department for the secretary of state. The new building will not be entirely completed until well into the winter.

Mrs. M. M. Hill and daughter, Mrs. Zola Somerville and Miss Phyllis Hill, left last evening for Denio, Ore., where

they will make their home with Lloyd Hill, son of Mrs. Hill, who has been on a ranch there for the past three years. They make the trip by train to Winnamucca, N. Y., and the 120-mile trip to Denio will be made by stage coach.

Commissioner of Industries R. W. Simonds will return this afternoon from Rutland, where he gave an address on the workmen's compensation law at the meet of the state federation of labor.

The case of Harry C. Tilden, adm., of the estate of G. A. Tilden, late of Roxbury vs. Frank W. Chase of Hardwick was entered to-day in county court. The amount claimed in the suit is \$500. The divorce case of Eva A. Locklin vs. Arthur W. Locklin, both of Northfield, has been entered. William White is attorney for the petitioner.

Insurance offices, banks and probate office are closed to-day, Bennington Battle day, and the postoffice is observing holiday hours with but one delivery.

Munsing underwear at Abbott's.

Visit Fitts' annex for bargains.

TALK OF THE TOWN

Mrs. George Stewart of Quincy, Mass., is visiting for a few days at the home of her sister, Mrs. William Diack of Pleasant street.

K. H. McRae, manager of the Union Dry Goods store, has resumed his duties, after passing a vacation at his camp in North Hero.

A. P. Burnham of Perry street, who is taking a vacation from his duties as an engineer on the Barre & Chelsea railroad, left this afternoon for a brief visit with friends in Wells River.

Clerks in the garment department of the A. P. Abbott store were pleasantly entertained by Miss Emma Whitney at her home in Williamstown Tuesday evening.

Miss Whitney, who is employed in the millinery department, is taking a vacation of two weeks from her duties. During the evening refreshments of ice cream and cake were served, while the evening was pleasantly spent by an informal program of musical numbers. The trip to Williamstown was made by automobile.

BARRE DAILY TIMES

THURSDAY, AUGUST 16, 1917.

The Weather

Partly cloudy to-night and Friday; probably showers and cooler to-night in Vermont. Cooler Friday; gentle west to northwest winds.

TALK OF THE TOWN

Dr. Anderson of Waterbury was among the business visitors in town yesterday.

Mrs. John Papin and little son returned from the City hospital to their home on Allen street this forenoon.

Friends in Barre of Edward G. Robertson, a former resident of Barre, will be interested to learn of his discharge, because of physical disability, from F company of the 23d New York regiment, in which he enlisted some time ago. Mr. Robertson has gone to Colorado Springs, Colo., where he expects the change in climate will restore his health. Mr. Robertson formerly made his home on Thomas street.

To-night in the Adelphia hotel in Philadelphia, Pa., Barre quarriers and granite manufacturers will be the hosts at a banquet to be served in honor of the men who are attending the annual convention of the National Retail Monument Dealers' association in the Quaker city. S. Hollister Jackson, who left the city yesterday for Philadelphia, will act as chairman and a number of local men are down for after-dinner speeches. The Philadelphia Public Ledger gives prominence to the part in which Barre interests are figuring during convention week in the city. The party of 60 local people, who left for Philadelphia Saturday, will return to Barre Friday or Saturday.

Three boys alleged to have been implicated in the theft of soft drinks at A. Masi's store on South Main street were detained at police headquarters this morning pending a decision on the part of the authorities as to whether or not they should be arraigned in juvenile court. Inquiry among the boys developed the information that they had become involved in a rather clever game of hide-and-seek with Mr. Masi, entering his store during his absence and hiding quickly whenever he returned. Four bottles of moxie were brought along by the boys to substantiate their story of the hide-and-seek tactics.

"Full steam ahead" is the slogan just now of the Barre Entertainment association, which is making some of the final plans for the entertainment of 300 cemetery superintendents when the national association comes to this city week after next for its annual convention. A local committee visited Burlington one day this week and completed arrangements with the Chamber of Commerce and the Champlain Transportation company for the boat ride on Lake Champlain and yesterday another committee began the work of canvassing for automobiles to be used in transporting the superintendents from Barre to the lake shore. Another day of autoing will find the visitors en route for Williamstown and then back to the quarries. Everywhere the association is meeting with the hearty co-operation of Barre's citizenry in getting ready for the largest convention in the history of the city.

Union Dry Goods Company

"Save-a-Little Specials"

Each item listed below is a distinct bargain, a price concession that should appeal strongly to your pocket-book. Read them all and compare the price with what you would have to pay elsewhere.

Dress Voile

We have still a good assortment of colors and patterns of 25c and 29c values special at **19^c_{yd}**

Sport Stripes

Just the thing for present wear. Variety of color combinations, special at **29^c_{yd}**

New Waists

Striking new styles in voile that are easily worth more, all sizes, special at **\$1⁰⁰**

Boys' Wash Suits

All regular \$1.00 values in good range of sizes and styles choice, special at **79^c**

Wash Dresses

All Dresses marked up to \$6.00 take a cut to this low price. Many pretty styles special at **\$3⁹⁸**

Girls' Wash Dresses

Good assortment of styles in Gingham Dresses, all sizes, regular \$1.00 values special at **79^c**

THE UNION DRY GOODS COMPANY

TALK OF THE TOWN

Walter Adams of Worcester, Mass., is visiting for a few days at the home of his parents on the Montpelier road.

Harold Johnson has returned to his work in Corinth after visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Johnson, of Richardson street.

George Parker, who has been visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. N. Parker, of Spaulding street has gone to Fort Ethan Allen, there to join an ambulance corps in which he enlisted while a resident of Hartford, Conn.

Guests arriving at Hotel Barre last night and this morning included the following people: Mr. and Mrs. J. Lester Woodbridge, Raymond L. Woodbridge of Philadelphia, Pa., Miss Foster of Brooklyn, N. Y., Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Smith of Burlington, Lieut. H. H. Cameron, U. S. A., Nashua, N. H., George A. Burbank of Boston, George H. Graves of Malden, Mass., F. S. Platt of Rutland, J. J. Walsh of Manchester, O. B. Marron of Plymouth, N. H., John R. Temple of Rutland, R. W. Stevens, W. A. Gage and J. G. Thompson of Burlington, J. H. Tracy of Worcester, D. C. King of Burlington, Mrs. M. E. Keefe, C. L. Carter, J. W. Farmer, W. F. Smith of Boston, J. Irving Wood of Burlington, Mrs. George H. Wilder of Burlington.

A decrepit horse, minus four shoes, and suffering with numerous bruises and sores, was taken in tow by Chief Sinclair on North Main street this morning and led to city hall. The chief communicated with Dr. W. W. Brook of the county humane society and then with Deputy Sheriff A. A. Emery, who is an agent of the society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals. While the machinery of the humane society was being geared up, flies made the most of countless opportunities afforded by open wounds on the horse. In the meantime, too, a woman, who was driving the horse, eagerly besought the policeman to let her return to her home in Plainfield. She denied ownership of the horse, claiming it belonged to a man who occupies the Lanciaut property in Plainfield. It is expected that the horse will be put out of the way.

Barre Town Quarantine Notice.

All children in Websterville under 16 years of age are quarantined on their own premises until further notice. The churches in Websterville are also closed until further notice, and all churches in Barre Town are closed to Websterville people until further notice.

Per order Board of Health.

To the Orange Taxpayers.

The school and highway tax must be paid the town treasurer on or before Aug. 25 to save discount and cost of collection.

E. L. Beard, Treasurer.

TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY

FOR SALE—Cash register, 2 writing desks and 2nd hand furnace with 900-foot radiation; apply Barre Drug store. 1301f

SPRAY POTATOES

with arsenate of lead and Bordeaux mixture. That is to say

USE PYROX

Nothing better for potatoes at this time of the year. It kills bugs and prevents blight. We have it in stock.

Papee Ensilage Cutter

It throws and blows. Ensilage put into your silo with a blower is worth far more than when stored any other way. We have in stock now blower (not Papee) that are guaranteed to run with 4 h. p. engine. This size for the farmer with a small acreage. The next size (in Papee blower) will need a 6 h. p. and larger, however, in proportion. If they don't do the work we claim for them it is our worry not yours and the blower is our blower and not yours. Don't be scared by the opinion of someone who has failed with an old style heavy blower that would scarcely cut corn if it was hitched to an air ship, but come and see a light running Papee. We are not guessing or experimenting and there is no gamble in a sure thing. We know whereof we speak. We have used a Papee for years.

ENGINES

A grand stock of engines right on hand. We have done our best to get stock in season and we ask our customers to help themselves and us by early buying, that we may continue to give them prompt and efficient service to the end of the season.

A. W. ALLEN CO.

New England and Orange County Telephone

Only Three Days More

And the Most Stupendous, Sensational Price-Wrecking Merchandise Event Comes To a Close

10 Day Public Sale!

If you were one of the lucky ones, well and good; but if you weren't, your opportunity will soon pass to lay in a supply of the highest grade footwear ever made at the low prices quoted in this sale.

We were forced to this sale because we needed the money, and sensational reductions are the only means by which we can raise cash.

Shoes next fall will be at least 100% higher so buy now as you never did before. Come one and all and bring your friends. Bargains added each day.

We Need the Money, You Need the Shoes, Let's Swap, This is Your Opportunity

Note these sensational cut prices which are only a small part of the ones in the store. Come in! Don't fail! Opportunity knocks but once.

Child's Gun Metal Shoes, **\$1.26**

Misses' Gun Metal Shoes, **\$1.69**

Children's White Duck Oxfords, leather soles, **69c**

Women's Oxfords and Pumps, small sizes, **\$1.19**
Were \$2.00 to \$4.00

Another deep cut in Women's White Pumps, **98c**
\$1.50 and \$2.00 grades

Women's Colored Pumps, **\$3.19**
Were \$5.00 and \$6.00

Men's Dress Shoes, button or lace, black and tan, **\$3.29 to \$3.98**
\$4.50 and \$6.00 grades

Men's Work Shoes, **\$2.49**
\$3.50 grade

\$10 in Gold Free—Ask About It!

The Peoples Shoe Store

C. S. Andrews, prop., Currier block, Barre, Vt. 14 State Street, Montpelier, Vt.

Another Sale for 10 Days

On Men's and Young Men's Suits. Here's a chance for you to save dollars on new, up-to-date Suits. A large assortment of sizes and fabrics to choose from.

\$16.50 to 18.00 Suits \$15.00
20.00 Suits 17.50
22.00 and 24.00 Suits 20.00

Considering the prices of fall and winter clothing these are rare bargains.

We have a few more of those \$10.00 Suits.

Blue Serges and Black Worsteds not included in this sale

THE BIG BUSY UNION STORE

Union Clothing Company

Depot Square Phone 599-W Barre, Vt.

Prices That Will Interest You

Some Men's Suits at one-half price.
Some Boys' Suits at one-half price.
Straw Hats at one-half price.
Outing Trousers at a cut price.
Boys' Sport Blouses at a liberal discount.

Some sizes in Sport Shirts at a low price.

We can save you money.

The Frank McWhorter Co.

FRUIT JARS

WE HAVE BALL'S IDEAL JARS

These have the large opening. Buy early and not be disappointed.

Telephone orders delivered in city.

Fruit Jar Rubbers to fit all jars.

C. W. Averill & Co.

Telephone 500

Barre, Vermont